UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS MIDLAND/ODESSA DIVISION

JERRY CLAYTON GIFT,	§	
Plaintiff,	§	
	§	
v.	§	CAUSE NO. MO:22-CV-00122
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ANADARKO PETROLEUM	§	
CORPORATION CHANGE OF CONTROL	§	
SEVERANCE PLAN, OCCIDENTAL	§	
PETROLEUM CORPORATION,	§	
ANADARKO PETROLEUM	§	
CORPORATION HEALTH AND	§	
WELFARE BENEFITS ADMINSTRATIVE	§	
COMMITTEE,	§	
Defendants.	§	

ORDER AND ADVISORY

Before the Court is the above-styled and numbered cause. The Court has received the parties' responsive pleading(s) and therefore enters the following Order and Advisory:

So that this Court may efficiently manage its docket, the District Judge of the Midland/Odessa and Pecos Divisions of the Western District of Texas has implemented a procedure whereby a United States Magistrate Judge is assigned to each civil case at the time it is filed. The Magistrate Judge assigned to cases pending in the Midland/Odessa Division is **Ronald C. Griffin**. The Magistrate Judge assigned to cases pending in the Pecos Division is **David B. Fannin**. If a pretrial matter is referred by the District Judge, it will be handled by the Magistrate Judge to whom the case is assigned. Similarly, if the parties consent to Magistrate Judge jurisdiction, the case will be placed on the docket of the assigned Magistrate Judge for all future proceedings, including entry of final judgment. 28 U.S.C. § 636(c).

The parties are hereby **ORDERED** to notify the Court whether or not they consent under 28 U.S.C. § 636(c) to Magistrate Judge jurisdiction.

It is so **ORDERED**.

SIGNED this 23rd day of May, 2022.

DAVID COUNTS UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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ADVISORY TO To The undersigned party in the above-capti		LERK OF COURT ase elects as follows (please	select only one of the
following options):			
☐ I CONSENT to proceed before provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 636. T the right to proceed before a Un States Magistrate Judge conduct rendering a decision, and to orde to the United States Court of App 636(c)(3).	The undenited State any are the e	ersigned party in the above-outes District Judge and consind all further proceedings in the offinal judgment. Any	captioned case waives ents to have a United in this case, including appeal shall be taken
☐ I DO NOT CONSENT to proundersigned party in the above- United States Magistrate Judge a	caption	ed case elects not to have the	his case decided by a
Party or Party Represented Signatur	re of Pa	arty or Party's Attorney	<u>Date</u>